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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): David Moy and Chun-Ming Niu.

This application is a 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) continuation application of prior parent U.S.S.N. 08/414,369.

**Entitled: Carbide Nanofibrils and Method of Making Same**

Enclosed are:

- 27 sheets of specification, including 1 page Abstract, 6 pages claims and 3 pages drawings
- A signed Inventors Declaration And Power of Attorney from parent application.

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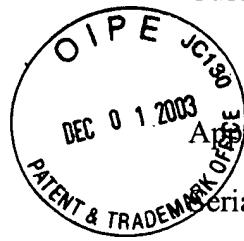
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- The parent application is assigned of record to Hyperion Catalysis International, Inc.
- Applicant hereby states pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)(1) that Applicant is a small entity.
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Moy et al.  
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For : **CARBIDE NANOFIBRILS AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME**  
Art Unit : 1754  
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**PETITION FOR FIVE MONTHS EXTENSION OF TIME**

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A Notice of Appeal was previously filed in the above-captioned application on May 1, 2003. Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response or filing a continuation application by five (5) months from July 1, 2003 until December 1, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension of time fee of **\$1005.00** to **Deposit Account 50-0540**. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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